EXHIBIT A

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NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PUBLICATION OF COMPLAINT IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON SEATTLE DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff,

V.
DAVID A. GOULD; JANE C.
POLINDER; WASHINGTON
STATE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL
AND HEALTH SERVICES; BROOKLINE PROPERTIES; FINANCIAL
CONCEPTS, LTD.; and GOLDSTAR ENTERPRISES, INC.,
Defendants

Defendants. Case No. 2:16-cv-1041-TSZ TO BROOKLINE PROPERTIES; FI-NANCIAL CONCEPTS, LTD.; and GOLDSTAR ENTERPRISES, INC.: You are hereby summoned to appear or plead within 60 days of November 28, 2018, and defend the above titled action in the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington, by answering the Complaint of the plaintiff, the United States of America, and serving a copy of the answer on the undersigned attorney for the United States at his office stated below. If you fail to do so, judgment will be entered against you according to the Complaint's

The purpose of this action is to (1) reduce to judgment outstanding federal tax assessments against defendants David A. Gould and Jane C. Polinder and (2) foreclose the related federal tax liens on the real property at 6109 Evergreen Way, Ferndale, Washington 98248, and more particularly described as follows:

demands.

Lot 1, as delineated on Baycor Short Plat, according to the plat thereof, recorded August 22, 2005, under the Auditor's File No. 2050804879, records of Whatcom County, Washington. Situate in Whatcom County, Washington. Assessor's Tax Parcel No. 3902180470220000. Because you may possess an interest in this property, the United States District Court has ordered that you be served by publication of this Summons. If you fail to respond, default judgment will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. United States' Attorney: CHARLES J. BUTLER Trial Attorney, Tax Division U.S. Department of Justice P.O. Box 683 Washington, D.C. 20044 202-514-6062 Charles.J.Butler@usdoj.gov

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